



# *St. Michael Catholic Church*

*100 Antwerp Drive*

*Hicksville, OH 43526*

*Mailing/Billing Address:*

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*419-542-8202*

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A member of the Our Lady, Queen of Peace, Deanery

Facebook Page: **St. Michael Catholic Church-Hicksville** YouTube Channel: **St. Michael Hicksville**

## July 28, 2024

### Office Hours:

9:30-12 noon, Wed & Fri

**Parish Office/House** - 419-542-8202

**Office Fax** - 419-542-9513

**Church/Hall** - 419-542-8714

### *St. Michael's Mass Times:*

Sunday 10:30am  
Saturday 4:00pm (Odd)  
Wednesday 8:30am  
Friday 8:30am

### *St. Mary's Mass Times :*

Sunday 8:30am  
Saturday 4:00pm (Even)  
Tuesday 6:00pm  
Thursday 8:30am

### *St. Joseph's Mass Times:*

Saturday 6:00pm  
Monday 8:30am

**Reconciliation:** 7:30am Wednesdays & Fridays.

(Sun. & Thurs. 7:30am & Tues. 5:30pm at St. Mary's. Monday 7:30am at St. Joseph's.)

**Hospitalizations:** Due to federal confidentiality laws, hospitals will no longer share patient information. Families must contact Fr. Borgelt or the office to inform him if someone is hospitalized.

**Baptisms:** Call Office at 419-542-8202.

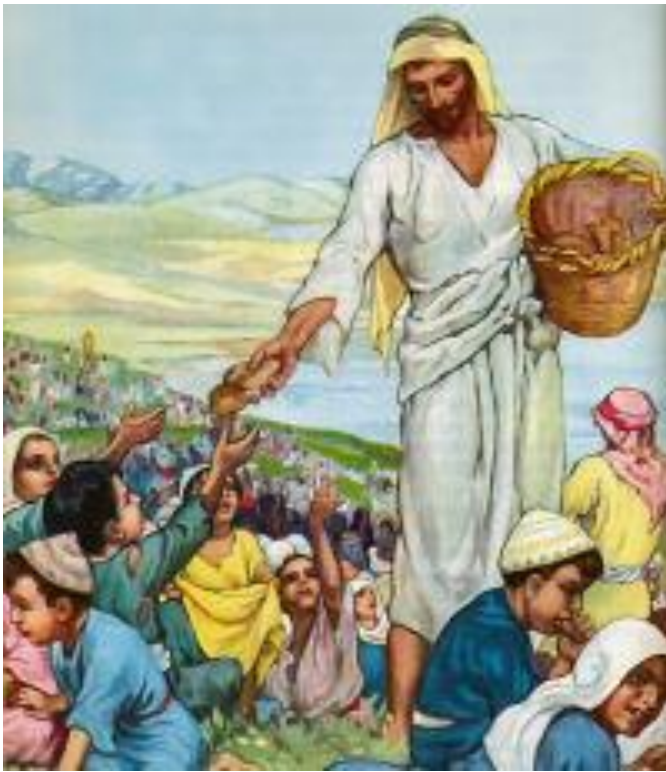
**Weddings:** All weddings must be arranged through the pastor at least six months before the planned wedding in order to allow time for marriage preparation.

**R.C.I.A.** (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults): Those interested in learning about the church or joining the church contact the office.

### Church Directory:

<b>Very Reverend Daniel E. Borgelt</b> <b>Edgerton Office</b>	<b>419-298-2540</b>
Deacon Joe Timbrook, Senior Status <a href="mailto:deacon_joe@hotmail.com">deacon_joe@hotmail.com</a>	260-466-9741
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Finance Council Chair/Gabe Inkrott	260-908-3177
Maintenance Committee: Russell Pierce	419-506-0061
Custodian/ Bob Meyer	419-487-1179
CCD Coordinator: Kayla Vetter	419-518-0201
Bulletin Editor/ Mary Wermer <a href="mailto:Jmmec2007@yahoo.com">Jmmec2007@yahoo.com</a> (Deadline: Tuesday @ 5pm)	419-769-6750
Altar Rosary Society Pres / Shelia Bassett	419-542-6141
Knights of Columbus Grand Knight /Jim Siler	419-487-1611
Music Director / Joy Martin	419-438-2516

## Liturgies & Calendar



### 17<sup>th</sup> Sunday In Ordinary Time July 28, 2024

<b>H</b> <b>B</b>	Sat	July 27	4:00pm 6:00pm	<i>Leonard Siebenaler</i> The Parish**
<b>E</b> <b>H</b>	Sun	July 28	8:30am 10:30am	Maxine Sanders <i>Noah Delagrange</i>
B	Mon	July 29	8:30am	NO MASS
E	Tues	July 30	6:00pm	** The Parish
<b>H</b>	Wed	July 31	8:30am	<i>Betty &amp; Phillip Meyer</i>
E	Thurs	Aug 1	8:30am	Carl Sonneberger
<b>H</b>	Fri	Aug 2	8:30am	<i>Alice Vetter</i>
<b>E</b> <b>B</b>	Sat	Aug 3	4:00pm 6:00pm	Ron Blair Leo Muehlfeld
<b>E</b> <b>H</b>	Sun	Aug 4	8:30am 10:30am	Margaret Longstreet <i>Jeannie &amp; Junior</i> <i>Bassett and Jody Shirey</i>

*H = Hicksville; E = Edgerton; B = Blakeslee*  
*\*\*Prayers for the living*

### Weekly Calendar – July 28, 2024 – Aug 4, 2024

SUN	July	28	10:30am	Sunday Mass
MON	July	29	6:00pm	Respect Life Prayer Walk
			7:00pm	Prayers Before the Tabernacle
TUES	July	30	6:00pm	Franciscan Council Mtg
WED	July	31	8:30am	Mass
THUR	Aug	1	8:00am	Adoration
FRI	Aug	2	8:30am	Mass
			9:15am	1 <sup>ST</sup> Friday Donuts & Coffee
SUN	Aug	4	10:30am	Sunday Mass

# UPDATE

Please, Please update your address  
and phone # if changed. Let us know  
please!  
saintmichaelhicksville@gmail.com

### Ministries Schedule for Sunday, August 4, 2024 @ 10:30am

**Servers:** Dale Gallup, Luke Eicher  
**Ushers:** Duane Bassett, Leif Kurtz  
**Lector:** Alora Stevenson  
**Extraordinary Ministers:** Dale & Carolyn Gallup, Brian Amstutz, Eric Art, Bob & Tabitha Crites  
**Offertory:** Bob Meyer  
**Greeters:** Marlin & Tasha Eicher

If you cannot fulfill your scheduled ministry,  
It is YOUR responsibility to get a replacement!  
Call or Text Lisa Firestine for scheduling changes

#### **JULY MONEY COUNTERS:**

Shelia Bassett, Carol Art  
Joan Linder

#### **JULY MONEY COLLECTORS:**

Sundays ~ Judy McCalla  
Saturdays ~ Janet Langham

#### INCOME:

Sunday (mailed and Online)	\$ 3,870.00
Building & Maintenance Fund	\$ 90.00
Candles	\$ 10.50
Restroom Renovation Fund	\$ 125.00
Landscaping Fund	\$ 40.00

***Thank you to those who are mailing in their donations and/or using ONLINE GIVING. Please consider making a donation to our St. Michael ONLINE GIVING. It's easy! If you need help, we'll be glad to help you get your account set up. <https://giving.parishsoft.com/app/giving/St9999438>.***

***\*\*We will be livestreaming Some Masses from our Facebook Page and up on YouTube***

**A Family Perspective ~ July 28<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time** In today's gospel Phillip worried about "enough food" for the crowd. **What is ENOUGH?** When does our ENOUGH deprive another family of their fair share? Jesus performed today's miracle because one child was willing to share and risk living with less. **Can your family live more simply so that other families can simply live?**

## NEWS FROM ST MICHAEL

➤ **Right-to-Life Prayer Group** I hear babies crying in the wombs, "Come save me. Come pray for me." Let us all unite in the fight against abortion & contraception & pray the Rosary for the fight against abortion with a few added prayers after the Rosary. Bring any prayers you may want God to hear. We will meet the first Monday of every month at 6:30pm in the Church. Families are welcome: education is a key to prevention.

➤ **Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults** – RCIA classes are alive & active in our parish! If you or someone you know is interested in learning about the Catholic Faith & possibly joining the Church, please contact the office at 419-542-8202 or [saintmichaelhicksville@gmail.com](mailto:saintmichaelhicksville@gmail.com). **ALL are Welcomed!!**

➤ **Do you want to enrich your Christian walk with Jesus and enlighten your relationship with God?** Come join us every 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of the month at 7:00pm for Holy Hour with Exposition, Adoration, Benediction, the Holy Rosary, & Benediction. This hour is dedicated to honor the true presence of Jesus Christ. If you cannot make it in person, you may view it on livestream. **This is a great way to ready yourselves for the coming of the Lord.**

➤ **Come & Visit Jesus** ~ The door are open! Come & sit with Jesus on Thursdays – Adoration from 8am-7pm.

➤ **St. Michael's Library**~ includes many superior resources that can strengthen your faith journey! Please feel free to explore the titles at the bottom of the stairs at the south entrance of the church.

➤ **Do you watch or listen to The Bishop's Corner?** Don't miss the weekly show where Bishop Daniel E. Thomas answers questions

### ~~ DAILY READINGS ~~

#### MON, JULY 29, 2024:

JER 13:1-11  
JN 11:19-27

#### TUES, JULY 30, 2024:

Jer 14:17-22  
Mt 13:36-43

#### Wed, JULY 31, 2024:

Jer 15:10, 16-21  
Mt 13:44-46

#### Thurs, AUG 1, 2024:

Jer 18:1-6  
Mt 13:47-53

#### Fri, AUG 2, 2024:

Jer 26:1-9  
Mt 13:54-58

#### Sat, AUG 3, 2024:

Jer 26:11-16, 24  
Mt 14:1-12

#### SUN, AUG 4, 2024:

Ex 16:2-4, 12-15  
Eph 4:17, 20-24  
Jn 6:24-35

Please keep those who are sick or those in need in our prayers:

July 5<sup>th</sup>

**Ray Schliesser  
Martha Sweet  
Bob Arend  
Santo Brothers  
Kevin Taylor  
Jim Arend**

**Deb Rogers  
Father Tom Oedy  
Carl Sabo  
Kiersten Vetter  
Polly Meyer  
JoAnn Yoder**

If you would like a loved one added to this list, a family member must contact the office (419-542-8202) or you may contact Mary directly at 419-769-6750 or [jmmec2007@yahoo.com](mailto:jmmec2007@yahoo.com).

Those added will remain on the list for one month, at which time the family can contact us to add them again as many times as needed.

Please keep all military personnel in your Prayers

**Levi Guilford**

**Brian Kraft**

If your family has a member in the military please contact the office and we will add their name as well.

### A Note From The Knights Of Columbus~

The following Knights from our parish are in need of extra prayers as they go through some difficult circumstances in their lives:

**Brian Amstutz  
Floyd Esquivel  
Ed Hesselschardt  
Devon Werder  
Joseph Meyer  
Bill Welly**

**Ralph Art  
Dale Gallup  
Joe Kemerer  
Rusty Campbell  
Kenneth Reinhart  
Jason Wermer**

from the Faithful, gives a gospel reflection and talks about the upcoming events on his calendar and around the diocese. Listen: Annunciation Radio, Thursdays at 4:30pm on 89.7FM Toledo/Bowling Green, 88.1FM Sandusky/Port Clinton, 89.9FM Bryan, 89.5FM Mansfield, 90.9FM Willard. Holy Family Radio, Thursdays at 3:30pm on 94.9FM Ada/Lima, 88.9FM Glandorf/Leipsic, 88.7FM Findlay. Watch: [youtube.com/ToledoDiocese](https://www.youtube.com/ToledoDiocese) or [facebook.com/bishopdethomas](https://www.facebook.com/bishopdethomas). Send your questions to the

Catholic faith, diocesan news and events or anything you'd like to ask Bishop Thomas. Visit [annunciation.com/bishops-corner.html](https://annunciation.com/bishops-corner.html) or email [bishop@annunciationradio.com](mailto:bishop@annunciationradio.com).



### 2024 St. Michael VBS ~~

**Vacation Bible School**– St Michael will be having VBS this year for our area youth. We will be having a *Solar Theme* program which will be held **July 29<sup>th</sup> – August 1<sup>st</sup>**. It will take place from **5:30pm – 7:30pm**. **Please join us in planting seeds of Jesus' love in the hearts of our youth!**

**It's not too late to sign up!**

Please contact Kayla Vetter at 419-518-0201 with any questions you may have. Volunteers are always welcome as well!!



## The Secular Franciscans will come and pray with the sick or dying.

If you have a family member or loved one who is in need of prayers, please contact one of the Franciscans or contact the Office. One or more members will come to where you are to pray the prayers of the Church and bring comfort and peace. If you would like to join the Franciscans in this mission of praying for those in need, please join us whether you're Franciscan or not. Call the office at 419-542-8202 or email us at [saintmichaelhicksville@gmail.com](mailto:saintmichaelhicksville@gmail.com).

➤ **Friday, August 9 (6:00pm) 17<sup>th</sup> Annual Summer Harvest Gourmet Gala fundraiser** supports the Franciscan Earth Literacy Center/Seeds of Hope Farm in Tiffin. Cost: \$50 per person. Includes, heavy appetizers, desserts, one entry into Gift Card Tree raffle and Chance to Win \$500 raffle. Join us outside under the BIG tent for heavy appetizers, assorted desserts, live cooking demonstrations, wine and brew samples, 50/50, silent and live auction items, mystery grab, gift card tree raffle, chance to win \$500 raffle and live music by Karsten Snitker. There are also online auction items for anyone to bid on from August 5<sup>th</sup> (12pm) – 8<sup>th</sup> (12pm) at [www.32auctions.com/FELCGala2024](http://www.32auctions.com/FELCGala2024). Co-Chairs: Alaina Gosche and Ashley Hoffbauer. **Deadline to purchase tickets is Wednesday, July 31<sup>st</sup>.** For more information or for tickets call the mission advancement office at 419-447-0435 or visit [www.felctifin.org](http://www.felctifin.org).

➤ **St Richard Craft show in Swanton.** Would you like to share your special talent with a local parish community? If so, this is just the event for you! St. Richard is going to also have a **TEEN ZONE** at our next craft show, Saturday, **September 28<sup>th</sup>**. If you enjoy baking, sewing, pottery, jewelry making or any other crafty work please call/text Amanda for details. 419-438-2346.



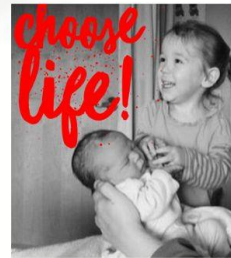
This powerful pro-life film emphasizes the humanity of the unborn child by exposing the truth behind abortion. It features dramatic testimony from women, former abortion clinic workers, historians & religious leaders. **MAY NOT BE SUITABLE FOR CHILDREN.** Watch "The Matter of Life" FREE with On Demand – <https://bit.ly/TMOLOD>.

NOTE: We will not walk on Mondays if it's raining or 90 degrees! We Will be walking up to November 7<sup>th</sup> – unless there is snow or ice.

# WALK FOR LIFE

Walk the Talk

1 Peter 4:10



Please join Rosanna Husted in walking to support our pregnant moms & preborn babies. We are walking @ 6:00 pm in the Church parking lot on Mondays through the end of August. If you are not able to walk, please pray for them.

## Street Evangelization Team



A group of parishioners are starting up a Street Evangelization Team. Several attended a training sponsored by the Diocese in Findlay. At public events or on street corners, we will set up a table with a sign saying something like this:

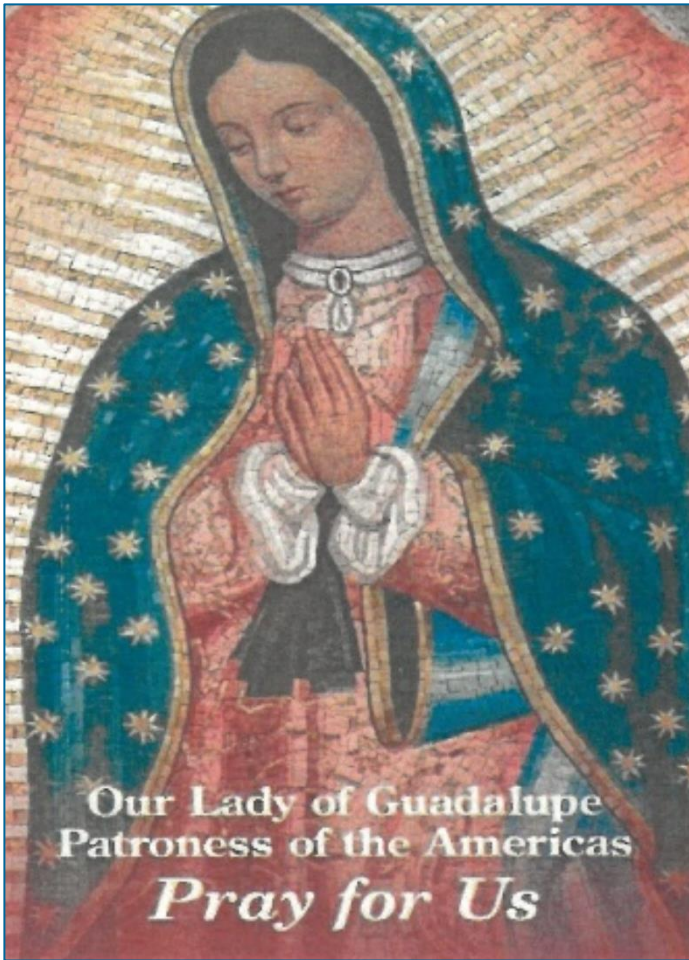
We will also be ready to answer questions about Faith, the Catholic Church, and life in general.

"Can we pray for you today?"

If you'd like to become a part of this team, contact Father Dan, the Office, or Steve Talbott at 419-487-3558.

At this time, we are in need of Rosaries and medals to disperse for free at the Street Evangelization Table. Do you have old Rosaries and Catholic items laying around, and you don't know what to do with them?

If you have Rosaries, etc., there's a basket by the mailboxes by the elevator upstairs for these (and THANK YOU!). They don't have to be expensive or new. We had a number of Rosaries from the training that were just blessed, and a family whose matriarch was in Hospice requested Rosaries, and so they were needed!

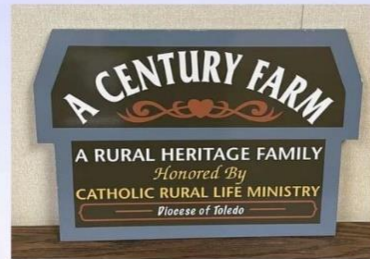


**This Week's Pro-Life Sentiment ~**



**Please Pray For The Helpless Unborn Babies**

**2024 Century Farm Award Applications Available**



Catholic Charities is now accepting applications for Century Farm Awards. This award designation honors Catholic families who have maintained a farm or homestead within their family for at least 100 years in the Diocese of Toledo, emphasizing well-preserved working farms.

Applicants must submit a registration form, copies of old deeds, and pictures to support claims. The information submitted must show family residence and ownership of a farm for at least 100 years in the Diocese of Toledo.

Applications should be submitted no later than Friday, October 4, 2024.

Bishop Daniel E. Thomas will celebrate a Mass honoring Century Farm Award recipients at 9:00 a.m. on Wednesday, October 16, 2024, at St. Joseph Catholic Church, 66 Chapel Street, Monroeville, Ohio 44847.

For more information or to request the registration form, please contact: Paula J. Kidney at (419) 214-4898 or email: [pkidney@toledodiocese.org](mailto:pkidney@toledodiocese.org)

**O GOD OUR CREATOR,**  
 from your provident hand we have received  
 our right to life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness.  
 You have called us as your people and given us  
 the right and the duty to worship you, the only true God,  
 and your Son, Jesus Christ.

Through the power and working of your Holy Spirit,  
 you call us to live out our faith in the midst of the world,  
 bringing the light and the saving truth of the Gospel  
 to every corner of society.

We ask you to bless us  
 in our vigilance for the gift of religious liberty.

Give us the strength of mind and heart  
 to readily defend our freedoms when they are  
 threatened;

give us courage in making our voices heard  
 on behalf of the rights of your Church  
 and the freedom of conscience of all people of faith.

Grant, we pray, O heavenly Father,  
 a clear and united voice to all your sons and daughters  
 gathered in your Church

in this decisive hour in the history of our nation,  
 so that, with every trial withstood  
 and every danger overcome—

for the sake of our children, our grandchildren,  
 and all who come after us—

this great land will always be “one nation, under God,  
 indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.”

We ask this through Christ our Lord.

Amen

**This week's Ministry Spotlight ~**

**Prayer List** –Anyone in need of prayers can be added to our Parish Prayer List. Contact the Office at 419-542-8202 or email [saintmichaelhicksville@gmail.com](mailto:saintmichaelhicksville@gmail.com). Family and friends are put on the Prayer List for a month, but feel free to contact us monthly to keep your loved one on the list. There is also a book at the top of the stairs that special intentions can be written in.

# 2024 Assumption Choir

Sing for the Vigil Mass of the Assumption  
on Wednesday, August 14 at 9:30pm  
in the Our Lady of Consolation Shrine Park

**Rehearsals:**  
July 28  
August 4  
August 11

4:00-5:30pm in the  
Original Shrine Church  
(corner of Clay & Lake St.)

Contact Anthony Gallina at  
[music@olcshrine.com](mailto:music@olcshrine.com)  
for more information!



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Farmer, Mark, Milford, and Hicksville Twp.  
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Walkers	Crutches	Shower Benches
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419-670-5980 Hal Osmun	419-980-2410 Bill Elwood
419-670-3743 Tom Battershell, Pres	419-658-2787 Claren Osmun
419-487-1166 Bruce Guilford	260-452-9231 John Gordon
419-542-8648 Robert Breisinger	419-551-1267 Rex Ford
419-542-7870 Frank Hostetler	419-487-0163 Eric Crall
419-769-2424 Nancy Chapman	419-487-2672 Brandy Saylor
419-542-8846 Carl Clark	419-542-9000 Denise Sutter, Treas
260-980-0747 Dale Schreck	419-487-2836 Randy Diehl
	419-487-1832 Lee Ann Blair

Jill McCormack, Secretary, 419-769-5561

Donations can be mailed to: CCAS, Inc. PO Box 154, Hicksville, Ohio 43526

## JOIN US AT CAMP DO GOOD.

*Give Blood.*

WELCOME



American  
Red Cross

### Blood Drive First Church of Christ

Gym  
118 N Main Street  
Hicksville

**Thursday, August 8**  
**12:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.**

Please call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or visit  
[RedCrossBlood.org](http://RedCrossBlood.org) and enter: fchicksville to schedule an appointment.



Scan to schedule to  
RedCrossBlood.org

Donors needed! Come give blood in August for \$20  
Amazon.com Gift Card by email. See [rcblood.org/Help](http://rcblood.org/Help)



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an appointment

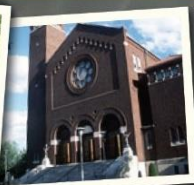
**Be part of something big. Make an appointment.**

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## A PILGRIMAGE



TO MARK THIS YEAR OF GOING OUT ON MISSION  
DURING THE NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL



THE CATHOLIC BISHOPS OF OHIO  
INVITE ALL THE FAITHFUL

### To Make a Pilgrimage to the Basilica & National Shrine of Our Lady of Consolation in Carey

Join the bishops, priests, deacons,  
consecrated religious and lay faithful from  
across the state to celebrate the Vigil of the  
Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed  
Virgin Mary **Wednesday, Aug. 14, 2024**,  
beginning at 9 p.m. for a candlelight rosary  
procession with the Miraculous Statue of Our  
Lady of Consolation from the Basilica Shrine  
to the Shrine Park followed by Holy Mass at  
the outdoor Altar in the Shrine Park.

Toledo Bishop  
**Daniel E. Thomas, Celebrant**  
Columbus Bishop  
**Earl K. Fernandes, Homilist**



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